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4. Three Terminal Disclaimers To Obviate A Double Patenting Rejection Over A "Prior" Patent (1 page each) (For Prior U.S. Patent Nos. 6,534,600, 6,646,089 and 6,812,298).

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Transmitted herewith are: Amendment, Exhibit 1 Declaration Of Petar R. Dvornic including Curriculum Vitae, and Three Terminal Disclaimers for the above-identified application. The Terminal Disclaimer Fee of \$195.00 is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-2463.

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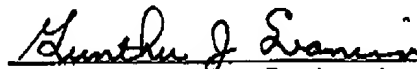
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